

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 01-40895
Summary Calendar

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

VENUSTIANO GILBERT-ALVAREZ,

Defendant-Appellant.

Appeals from the United States District Court
for the Southern District of Texas
USDC No. C-01-CR-45-1

November 13, 2002

Before GARWOOD, BARKSDALE, and DENNIS, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM:*

Venustiano Gilbert-Alvarez appeals his conviction for possession with the intent to distribute more than 1,000 kilograms of marijuana. Gilbert-Alvarez's sole contention is that the evidence was insufficient to establish that he knew that marijuana was hidden in his tractor-trailer. We have reviewed the record and the briefs of the parties and hold that the evidence was sufficient for a rational jury to find Gilbert-Alvarez guilty beyond a reasonable doubt. See United States v. Gourley, 168 F.3d 165, 168-69 (5th Cir. 1999).

* Pursuant to 5TH CIR. R. 47.5, the court has determined that this opinion should not be published and is not precedent except under the limited circumstances set forth in 5TH CIR. R. 47.5.4.

AFFIRMED.